

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

APPLE BUS COMPANY  
Employer

and

ELIZABETH J. CHASE  
Petitioner

Case 19-RD-216636

and

GENERAL TEAMSTERS LOCAL 959  
Union

ORDER

The Petitioner's Request for Review of the Regional Director's determination to hold the petition in abeyance is denied as it raises no substantial issues warranting review.<sup>1</sup>

MARK GASTON PEARCE, MEMBER

MARVIN E. KAPLAN, MEMBER

WILLIAM J. EMANUEL, MEMBER

Dated, Washington, D.C., May 9, 2018.

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<sup>1</sup> Member Kaplan agrees with the decision to deny review here. He notes, however, that consistent with the Petitioner's suggestion, he would consider revisiting the Board's blocking charge policy in a future appropriate case. Member Emanuel agrees that the determination to hold the petition in abeyance in this case was permissible under the Board's current blocking-charge policy, but he believes that the policy should be reconsidered. Specifically, he believes that an employee's petition for an election should generally not be dismissed or held in abeyance based on contested and unproven allegations of unfair labor practices.